



Kansas 2010 - 2011

Meeting community needs in Kansas. More than **9,600** people of all ages and backgrounds are helping to meet local needs, strengthen communities, and increase civic engagement through national service in Kansas. Serving with more than **930** national and local nonprofits, schools, faith-based organizations and other groups, these citizens tutor and mentor children, support veterans and military families, provide health services, restore the environment, respond to disasters, increase economic opportunity, and recruit and manage volunteers. This year, the Corporation for National and Community Service (CNCS) will commit more than **\$8,500,000** to support Kansas communities through national service initiatives including:

Senior Corps: More than **7,200** seniors in Kansas contribute their time and talents in one of three Senior Corps programs. Foster Grandparents serve one-on-one as tutors and mentors to more than **8,700** young people who have special needs. Senior Companions help more than **640** homebound seniors and other adults maintain independence in their own homes. RSVP volunteers conduct safety patrols for local police departments, protect the environment, tutor and mentor youth, respond to natural disasters, and provide other services through more than **870** groups across Kansas.

AmeriCorps: This year AmeriCorps will provide more than **460** individuals the opportunity to provide intensive, results-driven service to meet education, environmental, health, economic, and other pressing needs in communities across Kansas. Most AmeriCorps grant funding goes to the Governor-appointed Kansas Volunteer Commission, which in turn awards grants to nonprofit groups to respond to local needs. Most of the remainder of the grant funding is distributed by CNCS directly to multi-state and national organizations through a competitive grants process. Other individuals serve through AmeriCorps VISTA, whose members help bring individuals and communities out of poverty by serving full-time to fight illiteracy, improve health services, create businesses, and increase housing opportunities, and AmeriCorps NCCC (National Civilian Community Corps), a 10-month, full time residential program for men and women between the ages of 18 and 24. In exchange for their service, AmeriCorps members earn an education award that can be used to pay for college or to pay back qualified student loans. Since 1994, more than **6,000** Kansas residents have served more than **7 million** hours and have qualified for Segal AmeriCorps Education Awards totaling more than **\$15,200,000**.

Learn and Serve America: Learn and Serve America provides grants to schools, colleges, and nonprofit groups to engage more than **2,000** Kansas students in community service linked to academic learning and the development of civic skills. This type of learning, called service-learning, strengthens communities, improves academic engagement, and prepares young people for a lifetime of responsible citizenship. Learn and Serve America also provides curricula and other resources to teachers, faculty members, schools, and community groups.

Other Programs: The Kansas state service commission received a Volunteer Generation Fund grant of \$190,000 to strengthen volunteer recruitment and management.

The Corporation for National and Community Service is a federal agency that improves lives, strengthens communities, and fosters civic engagement through service and volunteering. CNCS annually engages more than five million Americans in service to meet local needs through Senior Corps, AmeriCorps, and Learn and Serve America, and leads President Obama's national call to service initiative, United We Serve. To learn more visit NationalService.gov or Serve.gov or call 202-606-5000 or TTY 1-800-833-3722.

Senior Corps	Projects	Participants	Program Funding	
Foster Grandparent Program	7	658	\$2,300,573	
Retired and Senior Volunteer Program	17	6,323	\$1,002,338	
Senior Companion Program	3	227	\$718,381	
Senior Corps Total	27	7,208	\$4,021,292	

AmeriCorps ¹	Program Sites	Participants ²	Education Award ³	Program Funding
AmeriCorps State Competitive	1	32	\$132,300	\$341,121
AmeriCorps State Formula	9	308	\$563,825	\$1,049,678
AmeriCorps National	4	8	\$28,321	\$226,733 ⁴
AmeriCorps Fixed Amount Grant	5	78	\$367,862	N/A
AmeriCorps VISTA	10	39	\$213,650	\$717,522
AmeriCorps Total	29	465	\$1,305,958	\$2,335,054

Learn and Serve America	Grantees	Participants	Education Award	Program Funding
K-12 School-Based	1	1,594		\$299,533
K-12 Community-Based		136		\$20,497
Higher Education		33		N/A
Summer of Service	1	261	\$130,500	N/A
Learn and Serve America Total	2	2,024	\$130,500	\$320,030

Other Funding	Grantees		Program Funding	
Disability Outreach	1		\$60,125	
Program Development & Technical Assistance	1		\$87,750	
State Commission Administration	1		\$131,952	
Volunteer Generation Fund	1		\$190,000	
Other Funding Total	4	N/A	\$469,827	
Program Totals	63	9,697	\$1,436,458	\$7,339,203
Total Corporation Funding (including Segal AmeriCorps Education Awards)			\$8,582,661	

The data shown represents a snapshot in time. CNCS project sites, participants, and funding change throughout the year, so the data may not reflect current conditions.

¹This chart does not include AmeriCorps sites, participants, or funding provided by the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act.

²This figure represents the number of awarded positions available to be filled in the 2010 - 2011 program year excluding Recovery Act positions. For AmeriCorps VISTA, this represents the actual number of AmeriCorps members in active service.

³This figure represents the maximum potential value of Segal AmeriCorps Education Awards that can be earned by AmeriCorps members serving in Kansas. The award can be used in any state to pay for college, graduate school, vocational training, or to pay back student loans. The education award total is included in total Corporation funding.

⁴AmeriCorps National figures may include national programs headquartered in the state and/or operating sites of national programs that are headquartered in other states. Some national organizations do not report operating site data, or it wasn't available at time of publishing, so figures may not reflect current conditions.



Senior Corps in Kansas

Primary City	Program Name <i>Sponsor Organization (if different)</i>	Number of Participants	Program Type
Augusta	Butler County RSVP <i>Butler County Dept. on Aging</i>	162	RSVP
Chanute	NCCC RSVP <i>Neosho County Community College</i>	515	RSVP
Colby	Colby Kansas RSVP <i>Colby Community College</i>	350	RSVP
Dodge City	Ford County RSVP <i>Dodge City Community College</i>	273	RSVP
Emporia	Lyon County RSVP <i>Lyon County Department on Aging</i>	151	RSVP
Garden City	Finney County RSVP <i>Finney County RSVP Inc.</i>	391	RSVP
Great Bend	Barton County RSVP <i>Barton County Community College</i>	300	RSVP
Hays	Fort Hays Foster Grandparent Program <i>Fort Hays State University</i>	51	Foster Grandparent Program
Hays	Fort Hays Senior Companion Program <i>Fort Hays State University</i>	136	Senior Companion Program
Hutchinson	Reno County RSVP <i>Hutchinson Community College</i>	675	RSVP
Independence	Four County RSVP <i>Four County Mental Health Center, Inc</i>	300	RSVP
Kansas City	Foster Grandparent Program of Wyandotte County/KCK <i>Catholic Charities of Northeast Kansas</i>	125	Foster Grandparent Program
Kansas City	Wyandotte County RSVP <i>United Way of Wyandotte County</i>	310	RSVP
Manhattan	Foster Grandparent <i>North Central Flint Hills Area Agency on Aging, Inc.</i>	49	Foster Grandparent Program
Manhattan	RSVP of the Flint Hills, Inc.	430	RSVP
Marysville	RSVP of NE Kansas Inc.	350	RSVP
Newton	Harvey County RSVP <i>Harvey County</i>	550	RSVP
Paola	Paola FGP <i>Paola Association For Church Action</i>	73	Foster Grandparent Program



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Pratt	Pratt County RSVP <i>Pratt County Commission</i>	136	RSVP
Salina	Saline County RSVP <i>Kansas Wesleyan University</i>	300	RSVP
Topeka	Senior Companion Program <i>East Topeka Council on Aging, Inc.</i>	17	Senior Companion Program
Topeka	FGP of NE Kansas <i>State of Kansas Neurological Institute</i>	125	Foster Grandparent Program
Topeka	United Way of Greater Topeka RSVP <i>United Way of Greater Topeka, Inc.</i>	530	RSVP
Wichita	Catholic Charities Foster Grandparent Program <i>Catholic Charities Wichita</i>	161	Foster Grandparent Program
Wichita	Senior Companion Grant <i>Mental Health Association of South Central Kansas</i>	74	Senior Companion Program
Wichita	Sedgwick County RSVP Volunteer Program <i>Sedgwick County</i>	600	RSVP
Winfield	Grandparents In Education <i>Winfield Public Schools Unified School District 465</i>	74	Foster Grandparent Program
Total Number of Senior Corps Volunteers		7,208	

The city column refers to the location of sponsor organization. Volunteers may be serving in other locations than the city listed.



AmeriCorps in Kansas

Primary City	Program Name <i>Sponsor Organization (if different)</i>	# of Members	Program Type
Emporia	Emporia State University KS 66801-5057 <i>The College of New Jersey</i>	N/A	AmeriCorps Fixed Amount Grant
Kansas City	Pathway Community Church ABCD <i>Pathway Community Church</i>	2	AmeriCorps National
Kansas City	United Way of Wyandotte County	10	AmeriCorps State
Kansas City	Garden/Nutrition Project <i>Cross-Lines Community Outreach, Inc.</i>	3	AmeriCorps VISTA
Kansas City	Healthy Kids Initiative <i>Hartwig Legacy Foundation dba KC Healthy Kids</i>	3	AmeriCorps VISTA
Lawrence	Communities In Schools AmeriCorps Program <i>Communities In Schools of Kansas</i>	6	AmeriCorps State
Lawrence	HealthCorp program at Heartland Medical Clinic <i>Heartland Medical Center</i>	9	AmeriCorps State
Lawrence	Roger Hill Volunteer Center <i>United Way of Douglas County</i>	7	AmeriCorps State
Lawrence	Boys & Girls Club After-School Program <i>Boys & Girls Club of Lawrence</i>	10	AmeriCorps State
Lawrence	DART Organizers Institute <i>Direct Action Research Training (DART) Center</i>	2	AmeriCorps VISTA
Lawrence	Childcare & Volunteer Program Development <i>Trinity In-Home Care</i>	1	AmeriCorps VISTA
Lenexa	Kansas Boys Hope Girls Hope <i>Boys Hope Girls Hope</i>	1	AmeriCorps National
Lenexa	National Service Network <i>Nazarene Compassionate Ministries, Inc.</i>	1	AmeriCorps VISTA
Manhattan	Careers for the Common Good <i>Kansas State University, Kansas Campus Compact</i>	200	AmeriCorps State
Newton	Mennonite Mission Network <i>Catholic Volunteer Network</i>	65	AmeriCorps Fixed Amount Grant



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Pleasanton	SCA Kansas <i>Student Conservation Association, Inc.</i>	1	AmeriCorps Fixed Amount Grant
Pratt	Kansas Outdoor AmeriCorp Action Team <i>Kansas Department of Wildlife & Parks</i>	52	AmeriCorps State
Salina	Catholic Charities of Kansas <i>Catholic Charities of Salina, Inc.</i>	6	AmeriCorps State
Salina	Supporting Independence to Prevent Poverty <i>Saline County Commission on Aging</i>	1	AmeriCorps VISTA
Topeka	Washburn University KS 66621-0001 <i>The College of New Jersey</i>	11	AmeriCorps Fixed Amount Grant
Topeka	Washburn University VISTA <i>Washburn University</i>	22	AmeriCorps VISTA
Topeka	Grassroots Capacity Building <i>NAMI Kansas</i>	2	AmeriCorps VISTA
Wichita	Wichita HFH, Inc. <i>Habitat for Humanity International, Inc.</i>	1	AmeriCorps Fixed Amount Grant
Wichita	CPRF <i>Cerebral Palsy Research Foundation</i>	5	AmeriCorps National
Wichita	GRASP (Growing Responsible Achievers in School Programs) <i>Wichita Public Schools</i>	32	AmeriCorps State
Wichita	Inter-Faith Ministries GoZones! <i>Inter-Faith Ministries Wichita, Inc.</i>	8	AmeriCorps State
Wichita	Catholic Charities VISTA Initiative <i>Catholic Charities Wichita</i>	1	AmeriCorps VISTA
Wichita	Vista for Inter-Faith Ministries <i>Inter-Faith Ministries Wichita, Inc.</i>	3	AmeriCorps VISTA
Total Number of AmeriCorps Members		465	

Notes: If there are programs with identical names in separate entries, they are different grants to the same organization. If no members are



Learn and Serve America in Kansas

Primary City	Sponsor Organization	Number of Participants	Program Type
Burlinton	Burlinton Unified School District 244	400	K-12 School-Based
Elwood	Elwood Unified School District 486	25	K-12 Community-Based
Emporia	Flint Hills Special Education Cooperative	20	K-12 School-Based
Holton	Jackson Heights Unified School District 335	42	K-12 School-Based
Kansas City	Wyandotte High School	200	K-12 School-Based
Kansas City	J.C. Harmon High School	60	K-12 School-Based
Lecompton	Keystone Learning Services	34	K-12 School-Based
Manhattan	Manhattan High School	56	K-12 School-Based
Ottowa	ECKAAA	652	K-12 School-Based
Seneca	Nemaha Valley High School	48	K-12 Community-Based
Shawnee Mission	Youth Volunteer Corps of America	261	Summer of Service
Spring Hill	Spring Hill High School	130	K-12 School-Based
Topeka	<i>Kansas State Department of Education</i>		<i>K-12 School-Based</i>
Topeka	<i>Kansas State Department of Education</i>		<i>K-12 School-Based</i>
Topeka	Washburn University	33	Higher Education
Wathena	Wathena Junior High School - 7th Grade Class / Wathena USD 406 Schools	63	K-12 Community-Based
Total Number of Learn and Serve Participants		2,024	

Notes: If no participants are shown, either the grant is for planning or technical assistance, or enrollment data was not available at the time of printing, or the organization listed is the primary grantee and the participants are listed by its subgrantees. The city column refers to the location of the sponsor organization. Participants may be serving in other locations than the city listed.